

College and University Infection Control Policies and Procedures

Tasks	√	Planning Notes
Identify local health department contact: Name _____ Location _____ Phone _____ Email _____		
Identify campus infection control contact: Name _____ Location _____ Phone _____ Email _____		
Implement infection control policies and procedures that help limit the spread of influenza on campus <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promotion of hand hygiene • cough/sneeze etiquette <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.cdc.gov/flu/pandemic/healthprofessional.htm • www.fyiahec.org/resources • Encourage students and staff to get annual influenza vaccine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.cdc.gov/flu/protect/preventing.htm 		
Promote good hygiene and healthy habits now in order to help protect employees and students from many infectious diseases such as influenza. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • hand hygiene • cough/sneeze etiquette • proper nutrition • exercise • relaxation / stress management • proper rest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.fyiahec.org 		
Procure, store and provide sufficient and accessible infection prevention supplies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • soap • alcohol-based/waterless hand hygiene products • tissues • receptacles for proper waste disposal 		
Establish policies and procedures for employee and student sick leave absences unique to a pandemic influenza <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • liberal leave • non-punitive 		

<p>Establish absenteeism and sick leave policies for employees and students with known or suspected pandemic influenza</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • should not attend classes • isolation procedures if become ill during class • should not remain on campus • return to campus only after their symptoms resolve and they are physically able 	•	•
<p>Establish sick leave policies for employees and students attending classes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • suspected to be ill • who become ill at school 		
<p>Establish a pandemic plan for campus-based healthcare facilities that addresses issues unique to healthcare settings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.cdc.gov/flu/pandemic/healthprofessional.htm). 		
<p>Ensure health services and clinics have identified critical supplies needed to support a surge in demand</p>		
<p>Ensure those supplies are on hand.</p>		
<p>Adopt CDC travel recommendations during an influenza pandemic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • www.cdc.gov/travel/ • be able to support voluntary and mandatory movement restrictions • recommendations may include <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • restricting travel to and from affected domestic areas • restricting travel to and from affected international areas • recalling nonessential employees working in or near an affected area when an outbreak begins • distributing health information to persons who are returning from affected areas. • other 		